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Council for Judaism Note Urges Congressmen to Ignore Zionists

Jewish Post Correspondent NEW YORK (JP)—The anti-Zionist American Council for Judaism last week sent letters to all representatives and senators asserting there was no "Jewish vote" in a bid to "fortify" them against Zionist "pressures which are apparently in store for you" in the remaining weeks of the current Israel's Concern election campaign.

The anti-Zionist group backed up the letter, developed in response to Zionist efforts to persuade

candidates to declare themselves

ship arms to the Arab states, with an appeal to members to "discuss this problem personally with your senator or congressman."

The letter, signed by George Levison

BERGER of San Francisco, chairman of the a copy of a letter sent in January East." to Henry A. Byroade, Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern affairs, by Lessing J. Rosencited "these facts" because of rewald, Council president.
OPPOSES 'PRESSURE'

sures from partisan groups."

Levison opened his letter by citing "two very important facts." Zionist organizations."

Council's public affairs commit-sponsible American officials—a de-vote," he added. tee, included two documents. One cision to be made free from preswas a statement of the Council's sure by domestic, partisan groups position that American Jews vot- committed to the interests of any ed as individuals. The other was particular country in the Middle

EXPECTS 'PRESSURE'

ports that "you and your col-leagues will shortly be subjected fer." Rosenwald declared in his let- to pressure from Zionist-oriented ter that the arms aid matter was individuals and groups seeking to

against United States plans to American officials" without "pres-question of arms shipments to the Arab countries."

> "If past performance is any guide to the future, it will prob-One was that "not all Jews are ably be suggested that any expres-Zionists; less than 10 per cent of sion on your part of objectivity all American Jews are enrolled in toward the question, or of a disinclination to commit yourself un-Levison, declared, second, that critically to advancing the inter-'Many American Jews believe the ests of the State of Israel on this question of whether or not the particular question will expose United States should ship arms to you or your associates to possible the Arab countries is a matter to reprisal at the polls this Novembe determined by informed, re- ber because of a so-called Jewish

> > Levison said the letter and the enclosures were offered "along with whatever help we can provide in the future-in the hope that they may fortify you against the pressures which are apparently in store for you in the weeks ahead. I will be grateful for any

BERGER ALSO APPEALS

The appeal for help at the local level was made in a letter by Rabbi Elmer Berger, Council executive director, which was sent out with the October Council News, which included the text of Levison's letter.

Rabbi Berger told the members that "any additional communications from you, as an American of the Jewish faith, to reinforce Mr. Levison's letter, will increase its effectiveness, particularly if you are in a position, on a local Bias Rears Ugly Head level, to discuss this problem personally with your senator or Congressman."

Rabbi Berger added that the ish support of Israel constituted tion whatever to any program by Council "has the unique responsibility of letting our legislators introduced by an "independentknow that there is a significant liberal" candidate, Frank Patrick section of American Jews who Ryan. of the vast majority of American of the Council "constitutes an act concerned only with the security Democratic votes from incumbent

SENT TO INCUMBENTS

should decide so crucial an issue proper course of good citizen been sent only to incumbents and supporters of the senator, in an him gratis. not to opposition candidates be-

want it."

The spokesman said that some acknowledgments that the Levi- whose parents requested them. We can draw some small com- ment hospital has put into opera- son documents had been received, fort from the fact that this re- tion the country's first physiologi- but that it was too early yet to 1953 New Jersey Supreme Court United States, where he had been

Israeli Leaders Worried By Reports of Terrorism

JERUSALEM—Reports alleging a wave of terror against Jews in Egypt have caused concern among Israel's leaders.

The reports said the Egyptian government has proceeded with large-scale arrests of Jews and has even employed torture and other methods reminiscent of Jewish persecution in other lands.

Stevenson Discusses

SAN FRANCISCO, (JP)-Adlai Stevenson took cognizance of Israel's concern over American shipments of munitions to the Arab states in

a speech to a Democr a t i c Party rally here.

Steve n s o n credited the Eisenhower administra t i o n with some "gains" in its

Middle Eastern STEVENSON policy, citing the successful conclusion of the Iran oil negotiations and the settlement of the Suez

"But after seven years," the "there is no peace between the Arabs and Israel, whose fears are now aggravated by our govern-

More than 150 Jews have been arrested and imprisoned recently on charges which the reports describe as "fantastic."

Many of the detained have been accused of Zionism, Communism, and even membership in the Moslem Brotherhood, the report said, with some even being arrested on the charge they owned Hebrew

The methods used to interrogate the Jews "stagger the imagination," it was said. Examples are cited of Elie Caroma, a Spanish Jew, arrested on Aug. 7, who was "beaten to death," and of Miss Marcelle Nino, 25-year-old Cairo Jewess, who committed suicide after torture (See story on another page).

The sole responsibility for "this wave of terror," the reports said, "rests with the newly formed Na-British-Egyptian dispute over tional Egyptian Militia" which is described as a para-military organization trained by former Ger-Democratic party leader said, man Army officers on the storm trooper model.

The reports were first circulated in Geneva, Switzerland, and ment's plan to arm her Arab purported to be from informed neighbors." sources in the Middle East.

Sholem Asch Given Free Ticket But Cold Shoulder by Synagogue

NEW YORK-A Tel Aviv synagogue gave author Sholem Asch a free seat at recent Yom Kippur services but would not grant him a special standing privilege, despite a handsome offer of money.

The trustees of the 4,000-odd capacity Tiferet Zvi synagogue turned down Asch's bid of 250 Israeli pounds (about \$139) for the privilege of being called up for

In Minnesota Campaign

ST. PAUL, Minn. (JP)-A tinge of anti-semitism has crept into Minnesota's senatorial campaign,

Ryan, who avowedly is running as a "dummy candidate" to draw Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey and assure the election of Republican A spokesman for the Council Val Bjornson, cited a number of attack on him as a Communist sympathizer.

Gideons on Bible Issue

WASHINGTON (JP) - The United States Supreme Court has refused to consider an appeal by the Gideons who were prohibited he had tried to buy an aliyah. replies had been received from from distributing free Bibles to But Haaretz said that ". . . we Congressional recipients, largely Rutherford, N. J., schoolchildren have no grounds for doubting the

The decision leaves standing a Late last year, Asch left the

an aliyah-the Torah-reading, it was reported from Tel Aviv in the Jewish Chronicle of London. The High Holy Day aliyot and

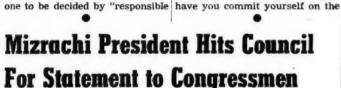
several other honors are, in many synagogues, sold to the highest bidder, in public auction during the services or by prior arrangement. Asch had made his bid privately.

While, according to the Jewish Chronicle, bowing to public opinion on the matter of the aliyah, the synagogue officials declined Asch's offer of payment for a seat—a rather universal High sponsible American officials' misled, convictions that this is the said that the Levison package had persons with Jewish names as Holy Day practice—and seated

Asch was greeted by no one at the synagogue. During Neilahthe closing Yom Kippur servicehe wept, saying later that as he prayed he recalled his native city, Kutno, Poland, and his childhood years.

In a letter to Haaretz, Tel Aviv daily, Asch sought to deny that veracity of the report. . .

jection of the democratic right of cal laboratory for the discovery determine the effectiveness of the ruling that the distribution was living in Miami Beach, Fla., with the speech prevents the Council of the first signs of cancer.



NEW YORK (JP)-Rabbi Mordecai Kirshblum, president of the Mizrachi (religious Zionist) Organization of America, this week denounced the American Council for Judaism statement to Congressmen as a "typical maneuver, inspired by a pathological Jewish self-hatred, to harm Israel under the cover of noble-sounding principles.

Fortunately most of our legisla- out to the harm of Israel." tors understand both the scope and the morality of the support

as the provision of free American arms to hostile Arab feudalists fits in perfectly with the secondin its passion to hurt Israel in every possible way," Rabbi Kirshblum added.

"It must be obvious even to the frightened Jews in the Council fare." that their leadership is asking them to abdicate their democratic rights to make their views known on any public issue," he asserted. free speech prevents the Council of the first signs of cancer.

The Mizrachi leader said the from telling our legislators that Council figures on American Jew. this tiny minority has no objec-"an expected misrepresentation. any country which would work

Rabbi Kirshblum said that to Rabbi Kirshblum said that to disassociate themselves from the attempt to refute the arguments Zionist program and who are Jews for the welfare of the State of falling into the trap of accept- of the United States." ing those arguments as being mo-"The proposition that only 're- tivated only by high-minded, if ship

"This is self-evident nonsense," cause of lack of funds. the Mizrachi leader declared, "and He said no news release had class citizenship status which the the evidence is contained in the been prepared on the Levison Council forces upon its members fact that never once in the ten package because the Council Supreme Court Rejects years of the Council's existence News "goes to a very substantial have any of these high-minded number of editors" and the inforprinciples of public action been mation was available in the Ocinvoked on behalf of Israel's wel- tober issue "for their use if they

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HAIFA-The Rambam Govern-

... with organizations

The American Fund for Israel Institutions will

hold its annual dinner - concert Jan. 5 in New York, as the highlight of its campaign for \$185,000. The chairman for the dinner-concert will be S. H. Fabian, president of Stan-



ley Warner Theatres. The American Fund supports leading cultural and educational institutions in Israel. Each year, the annual more than \$150,000 to the Fund's campaign.

· Wind-up . . . The wind-up phase of the United Jewish Appeal's will be ushered in Oct. 23-24 when 750 delegates representing campaign units in all New York for a four-day series parts of the country take part in the UJA's emergency National 29 to Nov. 1. Report conference in Cincinnati. Prominent figures in American and Israeli public offairs, among them Sen. Estes Kefauver (D.-Tenn.), Israeli Labor Minister Golda Myerson, Rep. Jacob K. Javits (R.-N.Y.), and Israeli Ambassador Abba S. Eban, will address the conference.

• Convention . . . The 34th annual convention of the Mizrachi Organization of America, the largest religious-Zionist organization in the world, will be held Nov. 17-21 in Atlantic City. More than 800 delegates from all parts of the United States and Canada are expected for the five-day assembly, which will mark the 40th anniversary of the establishment of the American Mizrachi movement.

· Appraisal . . . Abe Shaban, chairman of the executive committee of the OSE-Union, and Moses W. Beckelman, directorgeneral for overseas operation of the Joint Distribution Com-

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mittee, have agreed to set up a survey team to examine the current structure and function of OSE-Union and to submit recommendations for its complete reorganization. Submission of the survey findings and acceptance of the recommendations by the organizations concerned, will, it is anticipated, provide the basis for possible financial support of OCE-Union

Speaker . . Sola Pool, rabbi of the synagogue whose 300th anniversary coincides with the Tercentenary of dinner-concert has contributed be the principal speaker at the National Jewish Welfare Board's national observance of the Tercentenary year on Oct. 30 in New York. Dr. Pool will address some 200 JWB leaders from all parts of the country who will be in of national conferences from Oct.

• Program . . . The Conference Committee of National Jewish Women's Organizations, representing over one million women in the United States in 11 constituent organizations, has scheduled a special program in celebration of the Tercentenary on Oct. 25 in New York. This program will include special musical selections by a cantor and the showing of a 35 mm filmstrip entitled "Through the Years," which tells the story of Jewish women in American history.

West Berlin Agrees To Compensate Jews

BERLIN (WNS)-Payment of \$2,450,000 in compensation for the 25 Berlin synagogues that were wrecked by the Nazis during the November 1938 pogroms was reported to have been offered by the city government of West Berlin in recognition of the fact that the pogroms were conducted not only with the consent but with the active assistance of the Berlin municipal authorities.

So far, the agreement to pay is one in principle only, and no information has been forthcoming with regard to the time limit for payment or the division of the compensation between the Jewish Community and the two successor organizations for heirless property, the Jewish Restitution Successor Organization and the Jewish Trust corporation. According to informed sources, the total sum will include advances made to the post-war Jewish Community.

At the same time, considerable progress was reported in the negotiations with the city governand heirs in succession had been killed and whose title would have TOURS LOWLANDS reverted to the German public the Jewish collective.

Rabbi Appeals to Ike, Governor; **Charges City Officials With Bias**

Jewish Post Correspondent CLEVELAND HEIGHTS, O. (JP)—A Cleveland Heights rabbi has appealed to President Dwight D. Eisenhower and Ohio Governor Frank Lausche, charging religious discrimination on the part of the municipal government of this Cleveland suburb.

Rabbi Daniel Taub, leader of a small Chassidic synagogue and religious school, made his charge in an appeal to the President and governor following the municipality's threat to prosecute him for violating building and zoning

U.S. Ship to Refuse . Dr. David de Israel's Bid for Arms

WASHINGTON (JP)-Israel's request for arms aid or for a mutual assistance treaty has been religious school-American Jewish settlement, will turned down by the United States, synagogue. according to a

report appearing in the Washington Post. The U.S. posi-

tion was voiced to Ambassador Abba Eban by Secretary of State John Foster Dulles in a recent conference, the Post said.



"For some time the State Department has been considering some move to relieve the increasingly bitter feeling in Israel over the Eisenhower Administration's Middle East policy," the report stated. "Arms aid is known to have been considered at length. Apparently as far as the Administration is willing to go now is to issue some form of statement reassuring Israel that it has no intention of upsetting what the State Department considers its policy of impartiality between the two hostile groups, Arabs and

Egypt Indicts 13 Jews Accused of Spying

CAIRO-Thirteen Jews, including a woman who committed suicide in prison, are shortly to be tried before a military court on charges of having engaged in military and political espionage for Israel.

An indictment issued by the public prosecutor charges that the thirteen were members of a Zionist spy ring. The indictment alleged that the leader of the groug was Ibrahim Dar, alias John Darlin, described as an Isreali army officer. 'He is to be tried in his absence.

The woman is Victorine Ninio, alias Marcelle, 24, secretary of a British manufacturing firm in Egypt.

The accused were charged with 'collecting and disseminating" military information which was allegedly transmitted to Israel by secret radio. They were also acment for a bulk settlement of cused of "illegally manufacturrestitution claims for private ing devices, some of which were heirless property. These claims used to set fire to American liinvolve property whose owners braries in Cairo and Alexandria.'

JERUSALEM-Dr. Dov Joseph. domain if Jewish successor or Israeli minister of development, ganizations had not been formed is touring Belgium and the Nethpress such claims on behalf of erlands on behalf of the Develop ment Bond drive.

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laws in the subdivision of a large former singlefamily residence into two apartments and combination

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The authorities also said that the rabbi was given oral permission by a

former city manager to conduct services in his home, but had never obtained permits to conduct a synagogue or school there, nor to serve food. They said the school, closed for the Holy Days,

Later the building was subdiwould not be permitted to reopen.

ONLY SITE AVAILABLE

Rabbi Taub countered with the charge that the school had been prevented from using other proposed sites in the suburb. He also maintained that city officials had never listed specific violations of for the rabbi's congregation. the building and zoning laws for

charged a number of violations, including the following: dirt and To Fight Communism foul odors in the basement where the children eat lunch; no handwashing facilities; a single inside wooden stairway as basement exit; no outside fire escapes; no fire alarm system or fire extinin November, it was announced guisher; lack of fireproof walls by an organization spokesman around the boiler, and exit doors who said the national group, conthat open inward instead of outward.

It was also said that the present quarters would be objectionable as a religious school and synagogue in any case, as they are too close to other residential property to comply with the law.

RABBI'S MOVE HIT

without consulting the Community Relations Committee, which usually handles such matters.

However, the assembly deferred discussion and decision until the committee has had a chance to study the case.

Rabbi Taub, a member of a Hungarian Chassidic rabbinical family, came to Cleveland Heights about seven years ago. Some of his followers helped him establish himself in the large Mayfield

Later the building was subdivided into a residence for the rabbi and his wife, as well as a family of relatives, whose head became teacher of the Kalever Yeshiva K'tana, established in another part of the house. The school also served as a synagogue

City sanitary and fire officials New Interfaith Group

WASHINGTON (WNS)-A national conference marking the inaugural of the "Foundation for Religious Action in the Social and Civil Order" will be held here sisting of Jewish, Catholic and Protestant leaders will stress the spiritual aspects of anti-Communism.

Included in the national advisory council of the foundation are: Judge Joseph M. Proskauer, honorary president of the American Rabbi Taub's unusual step in Jewish Committee, Rabbi Nor-directing his appeals to the na. man Gerstenfeld of Washington tion's chief executive and Ohio's and Rabbi Edgar F. Magnin of governor was criticized Oct. 13 Los Angeles. Dr. Edward L. R. by many delegates at the regular Elson, pastor of the National meeting of the Delegate Assem- Presbyterian church in Washingbly of the Jewish Community Fed- ton, who is known as "President eration. They felt the rabbi was Eisenhower's Pastor," is one of ill-advised in taking such a step the founders of the organization,



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Jewish Post Correspondent NEW YORK (JP)—American Jewish sympathizers with Israel Harriman Urges U.S. will have a chance to express their indignation at the present United States policy in the Middle East at two rallies planned for Oct. 25 Curb Arms to Arabs in New York.

New York.

A mass rally sponsored by Zionist groups will be held in the Harriman, New York Democratic evening at the Hotel Commodore.



an after work labor conference at 5 p.m. at the Hotel Biltmore. The labor meeting has een scheduled o make it easier for workingmen and women to

On the morning preceding the mass rally, a group of Zionist leaders will present a memorandum on the security of Israel to Secretary of State John Foster

report to the rally that evening. INCLUDES MAY

Dulles in Washington. They will

The group of leaders includes Mortimer May, president of the Zionist Organization of America; Philip Klutznick.

president of B' nai B'rith; Mizrachi leader, er, Rabbi Mordeeai Kirschblum; Louis Lipsky, chairman of the American Zion-

Committee for Public Information, and A-EBAN

Labor Committee.

While spokesmen for the labor organizations insisted that the 5 to be non-political, there can be little doubt that the pre-election date selected for the meeting was a factor.

A spokesman for the Farband said there was growing alarm over U.S. policy towards Israel. WANT TO AROUSE U. S.

"We want to arouse the American people to the fact that the U. S., the first to recognize Israel, must not be the first to destroy it." the Farband spokesman

David Dubinsky, George of the Israeli government.

the first time at the labor rally. Rabbi Abba Hil-lel Silver and Emanuel Goldrann may address the Zionist rally. A number of

Zionist - sponsored meetings will

REUTHER also be held across the country with the avowed purpose of getting Democratic and Republican candidates to commit themselves on limiting arms to Arabs and to assure Israel's inclusion in a Middle Eastern defense alliance.

EBAN TOLD FEAR

Israel's alarm over U.S. policy in the Middle East was recently expressed in a policy speech by Israeli Ambassador Abba Eban before the United Nations General Assembly.

"We cannot avoid apprehension lest arms not to be supplied to Arab countries will be used by recipient states for renewing the onslaught against us," said Eban.

He suggested that all powers 'refrain from weighting the scales against us for this would dolph Held, head of the Jewish inadvertently strengthen the prospect of a renewed assault and there is neither prudence nor wisdom in provoking an arms p.m. shop delegated conference is race by premature one-sided military arrangements.

He also expressed Israel's anxiety at failure so far to devise security guarantees to prevent the recent Anglo-Egyptian Suez canal settlement from over-throwing the present Middle East ern equilibrium.

TO VISIT ISRAEL

JERUSALEM-A group of 30 leading Jewish industrialists from Argentina are due Oct. 18 Top labor leaders Walter Reu- for a three-week visit as guests Jewish Prayer Books

candidate for governor, has urg-Jewish labor Meany and Louis Potofsky will ed the United States to stop supgroups will spon- appear on the same platform for plying arms to the Arab states

"concrete_ steps looking towards peace in that area are taken."

Speaking at an Israel Bonds dinner-meeting Sun-Harriman said that an expanded program

of technical as- HARRIMAN sistance to develop the Middle East would be of "far greater value than arms."

Another noted speaker at the meeting was Herbert Morrison, former British foreign secretay. Morrison called for "sensible negotiations" to restore peace in the Middle East. He accused the Arab states of maintaining a state of economic boycott and "near siege" on Israel.

It was announced at the dinner that Gerard Swope, honorary president of the General Electric company, had purchased his second \$100,000 Israel bond. Two other \$100,000 bonds are held by Harry Ginsberg, chairman of the board of the Trade Bank and Trust company.

Teen-Age Hoodlums Attack Jewish Boys

JERSEY CITY (JP)-Hoodlums have attacked a number of Jewish boys while on their way to and from high schools in the Greenville and Bergen sections of this city.

The incidents, according to The Jewish Standard, resulted in the assailants by police.

the boys for no other reason than the new equipment. 'they were Jews."

Prepared for Blind

NEW YORK (JP)-The first Jewish prayer books ever printed in both Hebrew and English Braille, which will enable the Jewish blind to worship together with their sighted fellow Jews, are currently being prepared.

Ten Braille volumes will be included in each set of the prayer books, five for the Sabbath and festivals and five for the High Holy Days. They will be presented as a gift to each Jewish blind person requesting them from the Jewish Braille Institute of America, 101 W. 58th st., New York,

The project was made possible through funds contributed by the affiliated sisterhoods of the National Women's League of the United Synagogue of America, the women's arm of Conservative Judaism.

JERUSALEM - The United States Army has sent an officer to Israel to negotiate for the purchase of farm products for troops stationed in Europe.

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Moslems Prove to Be Israel's Best Policemen

NEW YORK-Israel's best policemen are Moslems.

Kafr Kama, a small Moslem village with less than 1,500 inhabitants, contributes an important phase to law and order in Israel: the country's best cops.

The town itself is a dying outpost of White Russia. Its blonde

inhabitants are all that are left of thousands of Circassians who fled persecution in their native Caucasus about 85 years ago to McCarthy, Two Aides make new homes in Palestine, then under Turkish rule.

Today, reports the United Press, Kafr Kama and its small sister, Rehain, constitute the total Circassian population in Israel. And their main problem is how to keep themselves from extinc-

WHEN KAFR KAMA'S youth, about 80 strong, enlisted in the police force after completing two years' army service, that problem became even more urgent. For, their religion bans intermarriage.

Voluntary recruitment into the police force in Israel and into Jordan's Arab Legion is interpreted as an expression of love for order and discipline.

In contrast to many other Arab villages, Kafr Kama, perched on the Galilee hills, is neat and clean. Its houses are solid, built of black basalt blocks with red tile roofs and trim shutters.

The entire make-up of the town, its orderliness and cleanliness, reveals a different type of inhabitant than the normal Galilee native.

Other unusual features are Kafr Kama kitchens, boasting taps instead of the buckets and jerricans common to every felarrest of eight of the teen-age lahin household. A national water company pumped supplies Several of the youths admitted from the main line, and the viltheir guilt and said they attacked lage council chipped in to pay for

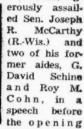
> THE MEN OF KAFR KAMA take the privilege of local government seriously. They still wear black astrakhan caps-as did their Caucasion grandparents.

Last year they chose the first elected council in Galilee, seven members representing the two chief clans. With the exception of five Arab villages, all "minority" councils are appointed by the government-and Kafr Kama comes in the minority category.

Kafr Kama children are multilinguists. They speak Circassian at home and learn Arabic and Hebrew at school.

Traditionally, Moslem feast days are colorful occasions. Wom. JWV Commander Hits

RICHMOND, Va. (JP)-Harry . Madison, national commander of the Jewish War Veterans, vig-



session of the

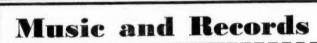
MADISON JWV's 49th annual convention.

Madison accused Sen. McCarthy of being "totally ignorant of even basic fair play." He charged Cohn and Shine of having made "a travesty of American governmental processes."

en appear in mauve and jet satins, heavily veiled, while their men-folk don Circassian blouses and baggy breeches.







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Eddie Cantor To Tackle Man-Sized Selling Job

By HERB LUFT

sh Post Correspondent LOS ANGELES (JP)—Eddie Cantor really has his work cut by HARRY CUSHING out for him this time; he has pledged his word to sell \$400,000 in

fsraeli minister of labor, who addressed an Israel bond-sponsored inner Oct. 17, Cantor pledged to

atch bond investments made at Federation of Labor and the Con-

ed-he is obligoted to sell an rual amount.

Among the top furchasers at he dinner was tovie producer Warner Harry who bought \$25,-000 in bonds, \$2. 500 for each of his ten grand-Gildren.



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Mrs. Myerson told the 1500 pertons attending the dinner that Israel's greatest assets today are the thousands of new comers now coming in from North Africa. She said that if there had been a country like Israel during World War II, the majority of the 6 million Jews who died could have been saved.

She sketched Israel's progress in industry and agriculture and stressed the country's progress as compared to its Arab neighbors. She asserted that "Israel's future is not a dream; it will become economically independent. There will be a proud day when we can stand on our feet."

She emphasized the country's reliance on democracy as its only vital choice, and hoped it would ISRAEL'S CONTRIBUTION be possible for Israel to teach others in the Near Last how to make their countries a better place for people to live.

representatives of the American 210 so far.

e banquet. Since \$400,000 was gress of Industrial Organizations. ld cash on the line-not pledg- Messages from Gov. Frank Knight of California and Mayor Poulson of Los Angeles were also

UN Survey Stresses Jewish Contributions

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (JP) A United Nations survey just released has stressed the role of Jewish thought in the creation of modern civilization.

The pamphlet entitled "Jewish Thought as a Factor in Civilization," the third in a series of reports giving the positions of five major religions on the question of racial discrimination, has been released by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization.

Written by Professor Leonard Roth, former president of the University of Jerusalem, the survey examines the religious and philosophical tenets that have guided Judaism since the days of Abraham and considers the contributions made by Judaism to e formation of values on which Western civilization is based.

total payable to the working bined with an objective and uncapital fund of the United Na- biased introduction to Jewisl tions for this year amounts to studies. This will definitely help The dinner was attended by \$70,210 of which it has paid \$35, Brandeis fulfill a historic func

COULD PROVE POTENT FORCE

Hebraic Scholar Says Brandeis Will Boost U.S. Jewish Culture

WALTHAM, Mass. (JP)-Hopes that Brandeis university will become a potent force towards the As chairman of the reception committee for Golda Myerson, cultural development of American Jewry have been voiced by Dr. Simon Rawidowicz, chairman of the graduater of labor, who addressed an Israel bond-sponsored the graduate committee in Near Eastern and Judaic Studies at the Jewish-sponsored university.

One of the leading Hebraic scholars in the world today, Professor Rawidowicz told The Jewish Post that the area of Near Eastern and Judaic Studies at Brandeis is trying to integrate the Judaic and universal aspects of world

civilization.

"Usually in other places where the student is interested in Judaic subjects," he said, "Hebrew and associated studies are dealt with a step-fatherly attitude." He pointed out that in most colleges and universities the Bible, Hebrew literature, Jewish history and philosophy are approached only from the theological viewpoint. At Brandeis, however, these subjects are on an equal footing with all other civilizations and literatures and are an College (Reform), organic part of the curriculum.

DR. RAWIDOWICZ REVEAL-ED that Hebrew ranks very high aic courses, of which there are among the foreign languages at Brandeis. Compared with other universities with substantial numbers of Jewish enrollments, this high percentage is indicative of the status of Brandeis as a Hebraic cultural center.

There is no theology depart ment at Brandeis which would satisfy non-Jewish theological students. However, when the university develops in time its special character as the only Jewish sponsored university in the country it will be able to attract those non-Jewish students who prefer an atmosphere where they car JERUSALEM - Israel's alloted acquire general education com tion for the benefit of American

Jewry in the American scene at cals, and monographs. Under his large, he said.

A number of students elect the Judaic courses in preparation for the rabbinate. At least a dozen students in the undergraduate school have indicated such plans. Of last June's graduating class, four have begun their studies for the rabbinate. Two are enrolled in the Jewish Theological Seminary of America (Conservative), and two are at the Hebrew Union

TO INDICATE the tremendous interest in the Hebrew and Judmore than 40, not one has been dropped because of lack of interest.

"On the contrary," Dr. Rawidowicz said proudly, "from year to year we have had to enlarge the Near Eastern and Judaic Area and to continually add courses. This also found expression in the enlargement of the faculty.

passing, Dr. Rawidowicz aid that there is even a Chug vri (a Hebrew-speaking club) on he Brandeis campus, giving the tudents an opportunity to deelon extra-curricula activities n this area.

It is perhaps of symbolic interst for the future that the first nd only master of arts degree iven at the Brandeis commencenent last June was awarded to student in the area of Judaic tudies. A veteran of the Korean onflict, this student is now furhering his studies in France and will continue at the Hebrew University in Jerusalem.

Dr. Rawidowicz didn't hold out much hope that Brandeis might be able to alleviate the tremendous Hebrew teacher shortage in the U.S. He pointed out that Brandeis has no school of edu-

HOWEVER, THERE ARE more than a dozen undergraduate students who are serving the Hebrew schools and Sunday schools of Greater Boston. The Brandeis graduate school of Near Eastern and Judaic Studies is attracting a considerable number of young scholars, graduate students with an excellent Judaic background from various parts of the country. In other words, if these students had not come to Brandeis, the teacher shortage in the area would have been still

Dr. Rawidowicz is regarded by associates as a 'scholar's scholar." He is the author of many volumes and editor of numerous periodi-

direction the area of Near Eastern and Judaic Studies is fast becoming an important center for Jewish scholarship.

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THE PROGRESS of that area in the short history of the university bodes well for the future when it is hoped that Brandeis must become truly a seat of Jewish learning, where research into Jewish civilization is pursued. where books on all subjects will be written and the creative Hebraic "instinct" will be aroused. encouraged and developed by its faculty and students.

Leaders of the university, including its president Dr. Abram L. Sachar and members of its trustees and faculty, have made it known that Brandeis came into being because of the desire of American Jewry to make a corporate contribution to higher education in the tradition of the other great secular universities which have stemmed from denominational generosity.

The Near Eastern and Judaic Studies Area is seeking to reflect the age-old tradition of the Jewish people to maintain a high level of appreciation for the contribution of Hebraism to the progress of world civilization.

POPULATION UP

MONTREAL-The Jewish population of Metropolitan Montreal has been estimated as 92,000 by the research department of the Canadian Jewish Congress. This is an increase of 11,000 since 1951. the date of the last census.



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She's Made Kindness a Hobby And It's Paid Off In Happiness

ENDING a helping hand is second nature to Mrs. Louis S. Zagoren, of Haddam, Conn. She has lent a helping hand so many times to people in need that her reputation for helping has spread, When she instituted and led a drive to help a couple who lost their home and all their possessions in a fire, she was selected by a Hartford radio station (WTHT) as "woman of the week."

The state police have recommended her to people in need of a lift. Once late at night, long after the lights were out, a knock came on the door of her home. She got up to see who it was. There stood a little old woman who asked "Are you Mrs. Zagoren?" When the answer was positive, the old woman said, "The state police said you would help me." She needed a warm place to wait until the bus service resumed in the morning.

THERE WAS THE TIME when she took a jobless couple and their two children into her own home, fed and boarded them for six weeks, until the husband found work and could pay rent, and Mrs. Zagoren never charged a cent. Even then her kindness did not stop, she gave them vegetables from her own garden, and her husband helped paper their new quarters.

For more than 20 years, Mrs. Zagoren was a farm wife. Wan- away from home; he was belligderers seemed to know they erent and angry; he never saw would always get food and a eye to eye with his parents. Mrs. friendly word. One wanderer in Zagoren let him talk and when he particular stopped in twice a finished, she spoke so eloquently year regularly, and told and re- about parents and how they try told his life story to her and her their best for their children, that wide-eyed children as he ate a the youth broke down and cried. steaming plate of home-made He went home, and stayed there. soup. When he left, there was always a bag of sandwiches under with "Mom." his arm.

are running a small road lunch- because she has four children of By LIONEL KOPPMAN eonette, Pop's Stand, she finds her own. She and her husband many opportunities to help. Just worked long hours to give them recently a tired, weary looking all college educations. While her man stopped in for a cup of cof- husband worked in a factory, fee. He told her how he walked Mrs. Zagoren ran the farm, sold from Deep River to Haddam, a vegetables, milk and cheese and distance of six miles, and still eggs to save for her offsprings. Erected by the Mary Fuller Perhad ten to go.

coffee. When Mrs. Zagoren heard children through college and to that, she quickly gave him sand. put in running water as well, so ler was born in 1863. wiches to eat, and fare to get to of course the children went Middletown by bus.



MRS. ZAGOREN She Gave Them Tools

to counsel young people who call "Mom" and her husband ed in other journals. her "Pop."

One teen-ager wanted to run

Mrs. Zagoren feels strongly Now that she and her husband about parent-child relationships

> She carried all her water for through college.

has given her ample opportunity pleasure in her children. Charles acter of the marker:

businessman; Ruby a free lance writer, and Muriel paints as a hobby. All four children are married and to date, have two chil-"If I leave my children money, the money will be spent and they

is a food chemist; Berkeley a

will have nothing. But if I give them an education, they will have tools for the rest of their lives." She herself was unable to have an education she so craved as a child in a Lithuanian village.

Occasionally someone she has helped will be ungrateful afterwards. She says, "If they want to be that way, let them. I'm not going to change."

Meanwhile Mrs. Zagoren is putting her philosophy into verse which is being published in Connecticut newspapers and reprint-

Jewish Tourist Guide

Historic Jewish Sites in U.S.

This column is based on the forth-coming book, "A Jewish Tourist's Guide to the U.S." by Bernard Postal and Lionel Koppman. Phil-adelphia, The Jewish Publication Society of America, 1954, 670 pages. \$5.00.

THE Arkansas Traveler will find, in Van Buren, a crudely-built memorial to Dr. Cyrus Adler, in his day president and leader of some of the major agencies in American Jewish life. cival Chapter of the Daughters of Mrs. Zagoren mentioned the drinking, cooking and washing in the American Revolution, the busses, but he shook his head; from an outdoor well. There just Cyrus Adler Marker, opposite the he had only that nickel for his wasn't enough money to put the County Courthouse, stands on the site of the house in which Dr. Ad-

In a letter to Miss Belle A. Herzog, Dr. Adler's niece, on June RUNNING THE BUSINESS TODAY SHE TAKES great 9, 1941, the regent of the DAR-9, 1941, the regent of the DAR

> "We are glad to erect the marker and only wish it could have been larger and a nicer one, but the chapter does not have money to spend after all dues and assessments are met. The high school boys offered to make it as a part of their vocational training.'

> Hand-lettered, the marker reads:

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ARK A good deal more about Dr. Adler will be found in the chapters on Arkansas and New York. (Copyright 1954, Jewish Publication Society of America)

TRADE DEFICIT UP

JERUSALEM-Israel's trade period of 1953 by 60,929,000 Isat prevailing exchange rates.

They All Are Jews



He Served His Country Well Isaac Franks

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SAAC Franks was the son of one of the most distinguished American Jewish families of Colonial times. As a boy his imagination was fired by the growing movement for freedom from the yoke of English tyranny. When he was seventeen, the Revolutionary movement in the American colonies burst into open warfare. Young Isaac equipped himself with a rifle and boots, and enlisted in the Colonial Army of 1776.

He served under the command of George Washington and was appointed to the General's staff. He carried orders and dispatches on the battlefields and became recognized as Washington's right-hand man. In the historic Battle of Long Island, with the colonists' forces overwhelmed and fleeing in retreat from New York, Franks was captured by the British. He made a daring escape and rejoined Washington. The war over, Franks, now a colonel, returned to private life. Washington never forgot his comrade-in-arms, and Franks became one of Washington's closest friends.

Among the patriots who fought to free the thirteen colonies in America from British rule, Franks' name stands high. For, in the words of Washington, "He was a soldier who served his country well and was concerned more with the welfare of his cause than the glory of his person.'

This feature is condensed from the book, "They Are All Jews," with biographics by Mac Davis, and portraits by E. E. Claridge, through courtesy of the Hebrew Publishing Company, New York N. Y.

Your Name

Want to know what your name means? Address your question to Mr. Pearlroth, National Jewish Post, Box 1633, Indianapolis 6. Ind.

By N. PEARLROTH _



DEAR Mr. Pearlroth: My married name is an unusual name here in the United States and I am wondering what it means and from where it was derived. My father-in-law came from Rumania. . . . The name is Stoper-Mrs. MAURICE L. STOPER, Chicago, Ill.

STOPER is a trade name. It means "a mender of clothing" in Jewish. The name is usually spelled Stopper or Stopfer. The original bearer of the name was probably a tailor or a shirtmaker, not necessarily a mender only. Some trade names were assumed in a belittling sense, out of the bearer's sense of humility.

DEAR Mr. Pearlroth: Please tell me the history of my name -Meltsner. My father was born in 1870 in Memel, Germany (at that time).-PAUL MELTSNER, Flushing, N. Y.

MELTSNER (more correctly Melzner) is a trade name. It refers to a dealer or cultivator of malt which is used in the brewing of beer. It also designates a brewer. Both the malter and the brewer were socially pre-eminent in Central and Eastern Europe. Before Jews had permanent family names the trade name usually acquired inofficial status for several genera-

EAR Mr. Pearlroth: I am deeply concerned about the origin and meaning of the name Peilen. I do know though that it came from Lithuania.—ELIZABETH PEILEN, Minne-

apolis, Minn.
PEILEN is a family name of geographical origin. It is taken from the name of the village of Pelenie in the district of Swienciany, Lithuania. This little village had a population of 94 with only one Jewish family. They were the innkeepers and it is very likely that they were the original ancestors of your family. Peilen in this case is the Yiddish adaptation of Pelenie.

To Broadcast Jewish Programs

BERLIN-Radio Free Berlin next month will start transmitting Jewish programs seven times a month. The programs will include a Sabbath broadcast with an address by a communal rabbi, discussion on Jewish problems by representatives of Jewish communities and organizations, and a weekly cultural program entitled "From the World of Judaism."



Modern With Tradition

Israel's furniture strikes a modern note, although it retains a deficit for the first six months of blend of tradition, as can be seen from this secretary with a drop 1954 exceeded that for the same door covered in light leather. Manufactured by a Tel Aviv firm, Tirzyah Wood-works, the secretary is part of a collection of Israeli furniture being offered for sale in New York as part of the Jewish raeli pounds (about \$33.8 million) state's bid for expanding its economy.

FAMILY PSYCHOLOGIST

Jewish Education Arms Child Against Sting of Anti-Semitism

By MILTON A. SAFFIR, Ph.D.

ctor, Chicago Psychological Guidance Center PRS. Feingold is an intelligent young mother, and desires to do everything she can to assure her MRS. Feingold is an interligent young involves, at a Myron a wholesome, normal emotional development. She wants to rear him so that he will be come a loyal, conscientious American Jew.

Myron is only five years of age, but one of the questions that has arisen in her mind is how to make sure that any anti-Semitism which he might experience will not be damaging psychologically

Should she prepare him in ad-

donothing unless and until some incident actually occurs?

THE BEST psychologic a 1 defense against anti-Semitic episodes which an individual Jew

DR. SAFFIR

may encounter, is a strong, positive acceptance of and pride in his Jewishness. The child achimself most easily if he senses that attitude in his parents. To that foundation a good Jewish education and satisfying experiences in Jewish living add strength and increased security.

A good Jewish education bolsters the child emotionally against the attacks against his Jewishness as well as it fortifies him intellectually to answer or refute anti-Semitic arguments or charges. His study of Jewish history and current events enables him to view anti-Jewish hostility from a different perspective. He will in this column? Readers are inhandle whatever forms he encounters much more adequately when he sees them as directed against his group instead of against himself alone and person-

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vance? If so, how? Or should she ant and free from prejudice against himself. One who harbors hostile feelings within himself is much more deeply hurt by the hostility of others.

UNLESS THE PARENT has strong reason to feel that some specific anti-Jewish occurance is very imminent for his child, it is probably best not to talk about it directly at all, particularly to the young child. Efforts to prepare a child directly against threats that have as yet no precise form may arouse such anxiety that the psychological harm quires such an attitude toward is greater than would result from any specific incident.

Many Jewish and non-Jewish agencies and individuals are working hard to lessen the chances that Myron will be exposed to anti-Semitism. His parents should of course join in the battle against this social evil. But in terms of what they can do for him directly in this area, helping him to become a loyal, confident, tolerant young Jew is the most important and the most effective.

WHAT TOPICS or problems would you like to have discussed vited to submit questions or comments to Dr. Saffir, c/o National Jewish Post, POB 1633, Indianapolis 6, Ind. or directly to his office, 55 E. Washington Street, Chicago 2, Ill. Names will be

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"HE word "Bible" comes from the Greek word "biblos," meaning "book!"

ALTHOUGH there are 8 gates leading through the walls which surround the old city of Jerusalem, only 7 are being used! The eighth is completely closed up and, according to traditional legend, is reserved only for the use of the Messiah upon his coming!

THE OLDEST stone house in England that existed before the war belonged to a wealthy Jewish merchant who lived there 800 years ago. Known as "Aaron's House" it has been the object of tourists' visits for many years.

WHEN MOSES LED the Jewish people he had a fighting force approximating only 40,000 men in his army!

TO TAKE OVER

JERUSALEM-The Israel government will take over the Pal-estine and Jerusalem Electric corporations next month.

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Yiddishists Also Show They Can Be Pedantic

by M. Z. FRANK



SOME Yiddishists are so smart that I cannot understand how they can be Yiddishists. I guess there is some kink in the cleverest of us. Jacob Glatstein and "Der Lebediger" (Gutman) of the Day Journal always write sense, except where the place and future of the Yiddish language are concerned. They refuse to see that it is on the downward grade

and become almost abusive when first collection of short stories I anyone mentions it as a matter of reviewed it in the Forward (I

literary critics, each on his own way. Thus, some time ago I took out of the library a Yiddish book recently published in Buenos Aires (now the Mecca of all Yiddish books). It was a reputed classic of hassidic lore of which I heard a great deal in my younger days: "Reb Abbe" by Z. Onoikhi.

WHEN I READ IT, I felt the content was rather thin and that it conveyed little more besides the mannerisms of speech of the hero. Even the mannerisms were not quite accurate, since my native White-Russian dialect of Yiddish, which the hero is supposed to use (it is all a series of soliloquies) comes out strongly affected by the standard literary Yiddish and by other dialects. (Thus, in our Yiddish there is no neuter case, but only masculine and feminine; some words have different meanings from what they have in the the book the hassid Reb Abbe talks as if he had been reading the Warsaw papers.

Then I picked up the Yiddisher liant essay on that book, where he says, quite rightly, that it was only good in its day, when the author himself used to read it in public and that the publishers in Buenos Aires used poor judgment in selecting it, in preference to books of more permanent value, for publication.

SO HOW CAN a smart fellow like that still claim that Yiddish is as important as Hebrew and that without Yiddish there will be no knowledge of Hebrew and all that claptrap?

It's a kink, that's what it is. Now, Der Lebediger, the humor-

ist of the Yiddish critics, whose feature in the Sunday paper I only miss when I am in Israel or when he does not write it, he has another kink: he is afraid of women. That is, women writers. In his "Literarisher Yarid" (Literary Country-Fair) on Sunday, October 3, he tries to tackle the new book of short stories put out by Sarah Hammer Jacklin. He says he likes half of the stories but not the other half. (Personally, I like three quarters of the book. Like Der Lebediger, I think that she is at her best when she depicts the life she recalls from her childhood in the Pious hassidic small town in Poland). But he hems and haws and hedges and hopes he is not being ungallant.

IN THE MEANTIME, he is being ungallant to me. For in 1946, when Miss Jacklin published her

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used to review in the Forward Both men, though, are excellent Hebrew books quite often and Yiddish books occasionally). I praised it—as I think it deserved to be praised. In publishing her second book in 1954 Miss Jacklin included two sentences of my essay in 1946, along with about a dozen other. Now Gutman-Der Lebediger mention all the quotations, except mine. That must be because all the other quoted have a more positive attitude towards Yiddish than I have.

Yiddish started out as the language of the illiterate and the women. This has given the Yiddishists some peculiar allergies. Der Lebediger is afraid to praise Jacklin Hammer's stories a) because she is a woman; b) because her forte is in simple unsophisticated -but excellent-writing, in the knowledge of human nature. without familiarity with the learned vocabulary. And so, Der Lebediger, while praising her writing, for its vividness and now standardized Yiddish-but in dynamism and fluency, finds it necessary to remark that there isn't enough "psychology" in it.

The Yiddishists like to show the Hebraists that it is not only Kemfer and read Glatstein's bril- the Hebraists who can be pedantic, but they, too.

STUDY IN SWITZERLAND

JERUSALEM-A three-man Israel military mission is in Switzerland to study Swiss army courses and schools.

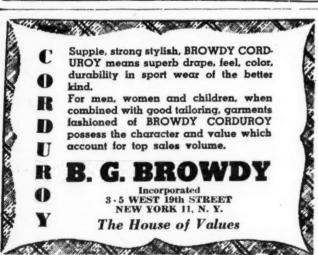


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WOMEN'S VIEWPOINT BY HELEN COHEN

Shulchan Aruch Seems Inadequate Today



HAD heard and read so many references to the Shulchan Aruch that I decided it was time to become acquainted with the work, and so I prevailed upon a friend to lend me her copy.

I might explain first a little of the background of this volume. During the centuries in exile, Jewish scholars had occupied themselves with codes of laws by which the people found guidance in stayed on for the next three their homeless wanderings. These were based on the laws in the hours. By the time she emerged, Torah and Talmud and decisions of the Gonim; and each succeeding (around 2:30 generation of scholars would study and comment on the preceding a.m.), the last

One such code, which was widely used for two centuries, was Mommashad the Arba'ah Turim (Four Rows) of Jacob Ben Asher. On this folded her work Joseph Karo (1488 - 1575), one of the scholars in Safed, Pales- make - up kit tine, spent many years.

AFTER COMPLETING his commentary on Four Rows, Karo decided to prepare a popular code-not for scholars but for the layman to use in his everyday activities, simply written and outlining man's duties from morning to night. He called it the Prepared Table (Shulchan Aruch) because all of the mitzvot (duties) appeared in set order, like a table

disappear.

ready for a meal.

to be convinced. I understood the into many sects and eventually important role it played in helping to hold together a scattered, leaderless and persecuted people.

There is much in the Shulchan Aruch that is timeless, applicable saying "The operation was a suc to each new generation. But I must report that much of it seems not to be so.

tional Judaism insist that we con-

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tinue to accept every word in the His work became popular im- Shulchan Aruch. They argue that mediately, evidently filling a changes must not be made willy real need, and was eventually ac nilly by any person or group until cepted as the authoritative text a duly authorized religious body is again instituted, because they I approached the book, willing fear that Judaism will be split

> It is just that their diagnosis and treatment remind me of the cess but the patient died."

They hoped to keep Judaism strong by being united around one book, one set of rules. But rules THE PROPONENTS of tradi. have to be meaningful under pres ent day circumstances. The Shulchan Aruch, which started out as a guide to everyday living, has become a remnant out of the past. How many Jews today have even seen a copy, much less pretended to follow its every injunction?

And lack of official recognition didn't deter Jews, anxious for a Judaism that would be meaningful to them, from developing other groups and trends.

THE TRADITIONALISTS just didn't take into consideration the effect of clinging to rules and ideas petrified 400 years ago. How can a Judaism which is frozen and lifeless live?

So that my discussion won't be too vague, I'd better give you a few examples from the book. You will bear in mind that all phases of a person's life were covered, not just the religious experience. And it is in the rules regulating human relations (which I don't

REPORT FROM HOLLYWOOD

Power Of Anglo - Jewish Press Fails to Elicit Pass From Cop

To provide a run-down on Sophie Tucker's Jewish views, Miss Beatrice M., sometime legman for this column, gate crashed the famed Massache with the legman for this column, gate crashed the famed Mocambo night club during Miss Tucker's recent appearance. Employing her best Manchester manner, she presently found herself in the Ladies' Powder Room, scarcely a step ahead of a nasty, suspicious headwaiter. Fascinated by a wealth of unfit for tender ears conversation among actresses and starlets identified by the helpful matron, Beatrice

of the Red Hot and stolen

This experieence convinced both of us that, in order proper-

ly to pursue our duties, the thing we needed was a Police Press Pass

TUCKER

Two days later, we went down to Police Headquarters in L.A.'s City Hall, a plaster of paris-colored skyscraper. Chiseled over the entrance, one of those quotations unimpeachable regardless of administration in power. Police dept. office looked like set for amateur production of "Detective Story." Except nobody wore hats.

ACCORDING TO INSTRUC-TIONS, we brought pictures just taken at an all-nite Hollywood supermarket, and trimmed to

the 16th century mentality is most clearly seen:

If a man find himself walking behind a woman on the street, he must run so that he is ahead or parallel to her (we presume this is to minimize the chances of his having sinful thoughts).

Also a man must not look at a woman's colored clothes, even if they are not on the woman (for the same reason, we judge).

A Jewish man may not be alone with a non-Jewish woman unless her husband is with them. A Jewish woman may not be alone with a non-Jewish man even if his wife and whole family are pres-

NO RESPECTABLE MAN will marry a woman who was divorced because of impudence. (A society which believes that women are equal human beings won't concede that impudence even fits into marfeel disqualified to discuss) that riage relationship, much less is grounds for divorce. Between a servant and his master, or a child and elder person, perhaps, but not a husband and wife.

> Someone remarked to me that discussing the need for a change in Judaism was unnecessary. since everyone was aware of that need. I don't agree. The only thing I will concede is the vast ignorance of Jews on the subject of Judaism.

"If you let the people know," goes the motto on the front page of this newspaper, "they can act intelligently."

(The above commin is a reprint of the "Woman's Viewpoint" of Nov. 4, 1949).

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Were asked to wait. One of the detectives noticed me glancing Read aloud new City Ordinances casually at some letters lying on issuance of press-cards. Now open on desk. Gave me 1953 Annual Report of P.D. to read. Real audio-visual. Beatrice had her paper conspicuously open to movie section, subtly indicating she works all the time.

USHERED IN TO cordial lieutenant in plain clothes. (Tan worsted suit, button-down shirt. Tie, conservative. Republican administration?) Lt. showed strong interest in Anglo-Jewish press. Lt. had reconsidered power of A-J And how large was our circula- press. Inside envelope, our pho-

His questioning completed, Lt. excused himself, went next door. equipment. Carried massive book instead. Small print, thin paper, given only to people who needed them to cross police lines at fires. I assured him our interest was in Jewish news only. Never attend fires, even of synagogue, G-d for-

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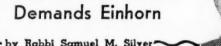
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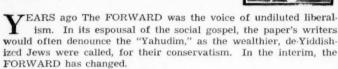
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THE DIGEST OF THE YIDDISH PRESS

Free Pulpit of Politics, Demands Einhorn



by Rabbi Samuel M. Silver-



Its hatred of Communism is so on "liberals" as suspect. In an a rabbi. He is a cynic, an atheist, other change, the FORWARD has a phony, a degenerate, a hypoengaged and given latitude to a crite, because the Communist idea number of writers to expound a denies the most beautiful aspect pious point of view which, in pre- of religion-lofty moral rules." vious times, would have been anathema to it.

eptiomized in a recent article in bad politics at that, in the shul. the FORWARD by David Einhorn, one of its pietists. Einhorn lashes out against Reform and Conservative rabbis who talk politics from pulpits. His chief target is the rabbi who preaches liberalism which, in Einhorn's mind, is synonymous with pro-Sovietism.

"ONE CAN'T BE one-sided in one's criticism," writes Einhorn. "Liberals must decide on whose side they are: America's or Russia's. They dare not be silent about Russian crimes."

Why this mad preoccupation with politics, asks Einhorn, First, he replies, it is a quest for headlines. Then, in a dramatic reversal, the "Yahudim" are assailed as too liberal.

"It is well known," he writes, "that there are wealthy men who sanction liberal sermons. These limping liberals expend all their passports. ammunition on America and have little left for Russian tyrannies."

CONTINUING HIS assult Einhorn says: "The synagogue is no place for politics. The religious person goes to worship for a respite from the daily tumult and of Spanish intolerance, Shulman chaos which surrounds him and ruminates that even in barbaric assaults his nerves and leads him to perplexity. In the synagogue the worshippers seeks that feeling of eternality which transcends current events. He wants that ly be displayed is in a cemetery. stability compared to which politics is transitory . . . If rabbis LABORATORY DEDICATED cannot provide the worshipper with these things or do not want the Hebrew University, named afto do so they don't belong in ter Julius Jacobs who was killed synagogues.

ious spokesman is a Communist cated recently.

ferocious that it often looks up or a fellow-traveler, then he is not

No wonder our synagogues are so empty, muses Einhorn. It is The completion of a cycle was time for an end to politics and

* * * SPAIN STAMPED AS BACKWARD NATION

Spain may be a great tourist attraction, but it is still the most benighted and medieval country in Europe, Abraham Shulman mourns in the FOR-WARD. With much eclat an announcement has been made that a synagogue was abuilding in Bar-celona, so Shulman, traveling abroad, went to see it.

He found what looked like an ordinary dwelling place being constructed. Inside, there will be a hall in which Jews will be allowed to assemble for prayer. No sign or indication that the building has a Jewish function is permitted. Indeed, a Jew cannot even be a citizen of Spain, says Shulman, and only a handful of Jews in Spain are really Spanish Jews, run the congregations and who most of them being from other countries and still retain their

Antisemitism may not be state policy in Spain, but it erupts every once in a while in the press, and since all newspapers are controlled by Franco the hostility must French National Assembly on have his sanction, Shulman declares. Trying to gauge the depth Russia a synagogue is allowed to be marked as such. But not in Spain. The only place in Spain where a Hebrew letter may open-

JERUSALEM-A laboratory at in the explosion at the King Da-Continues Einhorn: "If a relig- vid hotel in July 1946, was dedi-

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By CHARLES ROTH

MARRIAGE: The controversi-al innovation to the ketubah (marriage contract) by the Conservative will be made public on November 1.

HIGH HOLY DAYS: Studio One got the stick from a Jewish defense organization for portray ing the "Education of Hyman

Kaplan" on Rosh Hashanah eve . . . Barry Gray, himself eve . . off the air on Yom Kippur made shame on singer Eddie Fisher who was on TV on Yom

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Kippur eve, even though the show wasn't live. . . . Protestant churches in New York played Kol Nidre on their chimes at sundown Yom Kippur eve . . . When Polish delegate to the UN Dr. Katz-Suchy, who is Jewish, was greeted with a Happy New Year between Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur by the Jewish Post UN correspondent, he looked a bit puzzled for a moment, then said: "I knew it must have been a Jewish holiday one day last week because I couldn't get rye bread at the restaurant." . . . Rabbi Shabsel Katz of New York sent a wire to Mendes-France and asked him, as one Jew to another, to see what he could do about not convening the Yom Kippur.

PURPOSE: When Herbert Morrison, British Labor party leader, arrived at Idlewild airport for Israel Bonds, he was set up for an on the spot TV take by NBC reporters. An NBC newsman gave Morrison a copy of the two questions he would be asked, to look over before going on the air. A passing fire truck drowning out the program gave Morrison a chance to lean over and tell the NBC newsman to ask him why he came to the United

DEATHS

Dr. Ben Z. Hoffman, 80, **Noted Columnist Dies**

NEW YORK-Dr. Ben Zion Hoffman, 80, for many years a columnist for The Jewish Daily Forward, died Oct. 14.

Dr. Hoffman was the author of the column "Timely Topics" and the Saturday column "Jewish Interests," under the pen name

He was born in Latvia and educated at a yeshiva there. Later ne was graduated from Riga Polytechnic Institute. He also tudied at Karlsruhe university and the University of Berne Switzerland, where he received his Ph.D. He was active in the atvian Jewish Socialist Bund.

In 1908 he emigrated to the United States. From 1917 to 1920 ne was chairman of the educaional department of the Workmen's Circle and founded several schools. Later, he was for 20 years editor of Justice, a weekly Yiddish publication of the International Ladies Garment Workers union.

A collection of some of his work, "Zivyon, Fifty Years," was published last year.

Charles Goell, 76

BROOKLYN, N. Y .- Charles Goell, 76, retired Brooklyn builder, died Oct. 14. Mr. Goell was active in charitable, religious and civic work. He was a trustee of he Brooklyn Jewish Center and he Brooklyn Orphans Home, He vas a benefactor of the Brooklyn Federation of Jewish Charities. Brooklyn Hebrew Home for the Aged, and many other Jewish and civic institutions, groups, organizations and activities.

Robert Brenner, 58

JEDRSEY CITY, N. J.-Robert Brenner, 58, a prominent local lawyer, died Oct. 13. Mr. Brenner was confidential aide to Judge David Nimmo of the Court of Common Pleas. He was active in both Jewish and general communal activities and was a member of Congregation Agudath Sholem and Congregation Emanu-El.

Benjamin E. Sheitlis

NEW YORK-Dr. Benjamin E. Sheitlis, 73, former chief surgeon of the outpatient department of Beth Israel hospital, died Oct. 17 in New York hospital after a long illness. Dr. Sheitlis was a founder and director of the American Jewish Physicians Committee and a director of Herzliah Hebrew Teachers Institute. A former vice-president of the Seventh District Zionist Organization of America, he had been a supporter of the Jewish National Fund, the Jewish Theological Seminary of America and Yeshiva university,

Alex Berman, 60

ELIZABETH, N. J.-Alex Berman, 60, president of Tad, Inc., a building contracting firm, died Oct. 15 at his home after a brief illness. He was a member of the Jewish Educational Center. His firm build scores of homes and other buildings throughout this part of New Jersey during the last 35 years.

Mrs. Morris Greene, 87

PATERSON, N. J.-Mrs. Tinie Greene, 87, mother of Abe T. Greene, National Boxing Association commissioner, died Oct. 15 at the home of a daughter. She had been a resident of Patterson for more than 60 years and was an organizer of the Malbish Arumin Charitable society, the Linen Society of the Bartnert Memorial hospital and the Daughters of Miriam Home for the Aged.

Joseph Green, 51

BOSTON (JP)-Joseph Green, 51, a member of the Green Book Store firm here, died Oct. 13. Green had advised many rabbis and Jewish educators in the most recent publications of Jewish interest. He was known not only in the Boston area but in the remotest town of New England for his services to the Jewish comwhere Jewish books or ritual obmunity as well as individuals jects were involved.

Harry Carlis, 55

PHILADELPHIA-Harry Carlis, 55, well known Philadelphia and Atlantic City restaurateur, died Oct. 14. He was a partner in Lew Tendler, Inc., and was widely known in the world of sports and theater. He was a member of Salaam Temple, Newark, N. J.

Death Notices

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HOFFMAN—Dr. B. (Zivyon), We deeply mourn the loss of one of the outstanding publicists in the field of Yiddish and Hebrew journalism, labor and Socialism, who for more than haif a century, contributed richly with his pen to the enlightenment and consciousness of the Jewish peeple; an uncompromising foe of Communism, who for over 20 years, has been the editor of our official publication Gerechtigkeit. The Jewish labor movement has been sadly impover

cation Gerechtigkeit. The Jewish labor movement has been sadly impoverished through his passing. We extend our sincere condolences to his immediate family.

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REIVER—Ester. Congregation Darchay Noam of the Bayswater Jewish Center sorrowfully announces the passing of of Ester Reiver, dear mother of our esteemed Board Member and Finan-cial Secretary, Sol Reiver. EDWARD S. ABRAMS, President.

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Again Some Draughts From Bottomless Pit of Biblical Inspiration

THE CANDID COMMENTATOR, by Meyer Levin

THREE new novels, each with a woman as a faith-I figure, illustrate the wondrous range of works stimulated by the Bible, from pot boiler to poetic parable. They tell about the prophetess Deborah and general Barak, about Solomon

and the Queen of Sheba, about

Lot and his wife.

The first is a formula job by Nathaniel Weinreb, who wrote "The Babylonians;" it uses pulpfiction violence, glossed over with a pretense of Biblical righteousness and a smear of historical research.

Mr. Weinreb makes a pretty good beginning, showing us how the tribes of Israel were dis-

LEVIN united and oppressed under Canaanite rulers. In the name of One God, an underground resistance fought Baal worship; a leader in this secret movement was the young woman Deborah, an unusual girl who had taught herself to read and write, and had become the first woman Judge.

SHE MEETS A CRAFTSMAN, son of a resistance chief, but himself a pacifist. Love for Deborah converts him. Unfortunately the author leaves Deborah early in the book, to follow Barak as a wandering gladiator-prizefighter, with a manager who sounds

like of today. This means endless chapters of brutal fight stuff, purveyed under the cover of a Biblical story.

"Solomon and the Queen of Sheba," by Czenzi Ormonde, shows us the young queen, Makada, plotting with Solomon's older brother who was cheated of the crown by King David's dying wish. Feeling her own kingdom threatened by the grand Solomon, the Queen plots to distract him by a visit of blinding splendor, meanwhile bringing his land open to

attack by her forces and those of his brother.

But she falls in love with Solomon, comes to understand the One God, and finally confesses her plan to him, in time for his hosts to prevail. Czenzi Ormonde's novel is written in the jewel-studded oriental prose so often affected for Biblical stories, mingled with love-stuff from the slick magazines. Typical: "And in Bethel he lay outside the crimson canopy of his tent and looked into the dying fire as he held Makada, asleep, in his arms . . . Solomon wondered if Jacob had ever sat like this, with his beloved Rachel's hair fragrant with a touch of smoke from the campfire."

STRANGEST AND BY FAR the most impressive book of the three is "Lot's Wife" by Maria Ley-Piscator. Genius-streaked, mystical, weird, it presents Lot as the eternal poet, the image of imperfect man, "the living center between the poles of good and evil." Lot's wife is a high-born woman of Tyre, a beauty of "enameled eyes," named Ti-sar-ilani.

Planned on a grand scale as a symbolic epic of good and evil, the tale combines its own-invented myths with myths of old, and uses every literary mode from romantic adventure to sur-realism. Ti-sar is woman, beauty, virgin, wanton, mother, priestess. sister; the pillar of salt is the eternal emblem of tears, embodied.

THE NOVEL'S PAGES brim with dead-eyed eagles, court dwarfs, sulphuric fire-balls, cat-beasts of Egypt, orgies, visions. Above all, shines Abram. the patriarch and prophet of One God. He is pitted against Pharaoh's wizards, and is victorious. Sara winds through the legend as a deeper image of womanhood, less tainted than Ti-sar.

Toward the close, there are entire chapters that show trance-like eloquence, entire episodes in which the symbols match truth. The sulphur-pits of Sodom foreshadow and echo the Nazi slave-camps. much of the prose is pretentiously brocaded, like that of Czenzi Ormonde, and the entire book has a density and complexity that often suggests mere mystification. Between inspired spells, a prosaic dross is discernable. "Lot's Wife" may become a much-talked-of book. Parts of it are spiritually revelatory and beautiful.

Thus, the season's draught from the bottomless well of Biblical inspiration.

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elected president of the board of trustees of Brandeis University, and I think both he and Brandeis are to be congratulated. But Abe will forgive me if I venture the thought that I never expected that he was the scholarly type.

Most of us first came into contact with Abe when he was accago, probably had the highest tive with the Haganah of which succah in the world this holiday. he was president. He was as good a Zionist as you could want, and a worker who was ready and willing and able to do what he thought ought to be done.

Abe and a few others launched the publication which now goes by the name of Israel Speaks. Abe means that this must have been controls the publication now, un- no mean succah. Incidentally Mr. less I'm mistaken.

will be spending a whole month in Israel come next April. At the time, he'll dedicate three B'nai B'rith projects in the new stateand he'll be roundly welcomed without any outside help at all.

THE POST'S far-flung staff is always making news, and this time it's Ilene, the daughter of Rose and Maurice J. Gordon. Rose is publisher of our St. Louis edition.

ington university, and was cochairman of the Young Adult Campaign of the 1954 Jewish Wel- ing that a year ago he had not fare Fund drive. Her intended is Malcolm Wittels, son of Mr. and have deteriorated so, nor the econ-Mrs. Jacob N. Wittels, who is a omic picture to have brightened Phi Sig from the University of so much. Missouri. The relatives are scattered all over the midwest and will probably make the Nov. 7 wedding so crowded that I won't

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Friday, October 22, 1954

25 Tishri 5715 Chanukah Fast of 10th of Teveth___Jan. 4 tion." That would be giving un- tion it transmits, even to the ex-Fast of Esther____ Purim Pesach (Passover) ____April 7-14 'derech eretz.' Shevuoth Fast of 17th of Tamuz____July 7 umnist has written, is: "Was the

be able to kiss the bride

JUST TO SHOW YOU how I Rosenberg, of Food-Fair Stores, plagiarize, even subconsciously: I called on Arthur, and found Several weeks ago I wrote a piece him to be a member of the board suggesting that the tercentenary of Rabbi David Goldstein's con- committees in the local communigregation and planning a trip to ties, after the year's celebration Israel, which he made this sum- is over might with profit do a mer. I now read that Arthur is self survey on the strength and head of the syndicate that bought weaknesses of their communities the Philadelphia Athletics. If in the matter of Jewish culture

Now in going through my notes. ness, the A's will be the hottest I notice one written just after I team in the league in almost no had lunch with our new rabbi. It read "Jewish community self survey-already have committees which are representative." On I NOTICED where Abraham Feinberg of New York was Powered To the bottom was written "Rabbi Bennett." I wrote the editorial in the full belief that this was a product of my own fertile brain. But at least I'm willing to confess to my eclecticism-and you can look that one up in your dictionary.

WILLIAM H. RUBIN, of Chisuccah in the world this holiday. His was on the top of 5000 Cornell, a 22-story apartment house overlooking Lake Michigan. Rabbi William Novick, Chicago JNF executive director, said that the Rubins served forty people for three meals in the succah, which Rubin owns the Morrison hotel in Chicago, which is the tallest I HEAR that Phil Klutznick hotel in the world. He's an Orthodox Jew.

I HEARD Dr. Y. H. Foerder, head of Rassco and a member of the Israel Knesset at lunch last and entertained. I wonder if Friday, and he gave a timetable Phil will take Dolly and the five which should be of some interest, children, because if he does, he in view of the American desire can found a B'nai B'rith kibbutz always to know when and how long.

Dr. Foerder said that Israel's economy should be stabilized in five or six years, and self-supporting from a food standpoint in seven years. He explained that he did not mean that exports and imports would be evenly balanced that time, but that the gap Hene was an SDT at the Wash- might not be more than \$150 million dollars.

> He started off his talk with savexpected the political situation to

Worth Emulating

THE idea of combining a retreat with a board meeting of a national Jewish organization is certainly a good one, and we want to applaud the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, the Reform lay body, for initiating this new development.

Just who in the UAHC is responsible we don't know, but since Rabbi Maurice Eisendrath, the UAHC president, is leading the retreat, we can assume that he had a part in its planning, even if he wasn't the originator of the idea.

EISENDRATH It has always seemed to us incongruous for people to come hundreds and thousands of miles to participate in sessions of national meetings to do something about the situation of Jews, and then find them contravening accepted Jewish religious practices.

It is no different than the position of the sisterhoods and the brotherhoods, the ladies' auxiliaries and the men's clubs. Their meetings are often packed (the women's at least) but try and find these same men and women at prayer services.

We hope other national organizations will, by following the example of the UAHC, make this religious retreat a standard part of their national meetings.

Natural Development

t helps to humanize some of the Jewish people whose names are associated with Hollywood glamor, like Dore Schary and Michael Blankfort, when we learn that they are little different than other Jewish parents.

Both Schary and Blankfort have daughters approaching the marriageable age, and both, according to the story on Brendeis Institute in The Post for Sept. 3, are concerned that they choose Jewish boys for husbands.

But Schary and Blankfort are not merely oddities, prize specimens of Hollywood's Jews who are interested in Jewish life.

For Schary has for a number of years now interested himself not merely in the peripheral Jewish activities which some Jews adorn themselves with, but with the very center and heart of Jewish needs-education. He has been extremely active in the Jewish Theological Seminary's West Coast branch-the University of Judaism.

Their emergence as Jewish leaders follows the natural development in other Jewish communities. There is always the larger body of the Jewish community that is passively interested in Jewish life, and from which only a few step forward to take over positions of leadership.

When Schary explains his "growth" from the time when he set up Christmas trees in his home for his daughter to his present interest in Jewish life, this only emphasizes the theme of the rapid development of the U.S. Jewish community in the past 10 to 20 years.

They Won't Forget

HEADLINE: Teenagers Urge Parents to Be More Religious.

The plea of the B'nai B'rith Girls to their parents, so expressed at their re-cent convention, to "practice more and preach less" if they want their children to be more attached to religious values, is a forlorn call that cannot be answered.

The Jewish parents of today's young people, like parents all over, Jewish and otherwise, are convinced so thoroughly that science and technology can answer every need, that there is no such thing as faith, that they can no longer escape.

They are like those who preached anti-Zionism for so long that, despite the fact that there is a Jewish state, they are unable to escape their attitude to-

In one synagogue of our acquaintance the house of worship is full of young people who are obligated to attend on the Sabbath for credit in their Sunday school. But the mothers, where are they?

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CINCINNATI SCHOOL'S ACT UPHELD AS CONSISTENT WITH PRINICIPLES

• Editor, Jewish Post: America should be eternally

Silver Is Wrong.'

foolish to argue law with a mem. readership). ber of the Supreme Court-not if the occasion arose. Still, it tion. The institution involved exif I were an editor, to publish an ture, a certain set of laws and editorial, "Justice . . . Is Wrong," customs,, and an attitude toward criticising the "unwarranted them. Is it inconsistent or impropharshness" of his interpretation, er that such an institution should Dec: 20-27 asking that he "justify his ac be governed by the same tradi-March 7 necessary publicity to my own tent of accepting or rejecting a March 8 lack of—I believe the term is student because of them? Is this

___May 27-28 The question, a Cincinnati col- tionwide censure? Fast of 9th of Av____July 28 decision right or wrong? First, of Cincinnati

course, "right" and "wrong" must be defined. Everyone wants to CHICAGO EDITION
America should be eternally be defined. Everyone wants to RAndolph 6-7807 grateful for a press which feels further the ideals of Judaism, free to criticize the words and But what is "meant" by "Judaactions it reports, no matter ism'?' What are its goals? And, whose they are. Sometimes, how- especially in this case, to what ever, this criticism seems to get are we referring when we speak out of hand. I am referring spe- of "a Jew" or "the Jewish comcifically to an editorial challeng- munity"? You might as well dising the opinion of Rabbi Silver of cuss the relative merits of Judathis city in a question of Jewish ism and Christianity (another tradition, and to its title. "Rabbi topic on which the intrepid editorial staff of the Post has rushed in I too like to argue. But, by way were angels fear to tread, but a of analogy, I would be a little less controversial one among your Cincinnati Teacher

I would like to suggest an al that I could resist the temptation ternate statement of the queswould be rather presumptuous, ists to perpetuate a certain culcustoms,, and an attitude toward action especially subject to na-

Are Quotas Employed In Jewish Schools?

Editor, Jerish Post:

I was very much impressed with the letter of Dr. Morris terms of Jewish students. Is there Mark in your issue of Sept. 24th, concerning the unfortunate rejection by Rabbi Silver of Cincinnati, of the Aaronson children in their quest for admission to the Chofez Chaim Jewish Day school.

I am prompted by the circumstances in this case to point out to Jewish Laws in the admission that what we have here in the of non-Jewish children to a school action taken by Rabbi Silver is in of Jewish learning? Even our essence the establishment of a great sage Hillel undertook to pattern in the parochial school which we as Jews have protested him and asked he be taught the bitterly and have fought with principles of our faith. everything in our command to eliminate. I am referring to the Washington, D. C.

quota in our higher institutions of learning in this country in a quota now being imposed by this Jewish day School against anyone who is not of the Jewish faith, or children of a mixed marriage?

For the sake of argument, is there anything wrong or contrary teach a heathen who approached

ADE SHEFFERMAN

Corrects Our Error

Editor, Jewish Post: I read with interest your article in the Oct. 15 issue of The Jewish Post about the establishment of the School for Judaism in Cin- Cincinnati cinnati.

Your article was substantially FEW WORKERS STUDY correct in its statements of the aims of our school. However, I was misquoted as to the name of an agency offering us the use of are pursuing studies of any sort, its facilities. I refer to the Bu- according to a report presented reau of Jewish Education, a bu- at the recent sixth annual no DAVID SHAFER reau that serves Reform, Con- tional conference of Hanoar Hasservative and Orthodox religious ved.

schools in our community. Your article named an "Orthodox Bureau of Education" and to my knowledge, no such exists in Cincinnati,

BERYL SILVERSTEEN, Principal, School for Judaism

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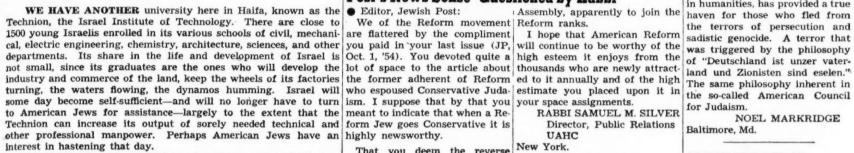
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HAIFA—From afar we have been following with interest and some gratification the amazing progress and growth of Brandeis university. In the few years of its existence it has justly earned support and approval from many elements in the Jewish community. Its academic standing is excellent. Its faculty numbers many foremost teachers. Its rigidly fair

non-sectarian policy affords ample opportunity to non-Jews to enjoy its privileges without discrimination, alongside of members of the Jewish faith, which sponsors and maintains the institution. Brandeis is without doubt a feather in the cap of the Jewish community and a contribution toward the winning of good will.

I am further delighted to learn from the

press that Brandeis University has just been presented with a football field—"one of the finest playing fields in the East." One of its features is a large enclosed press box with many facilities. It is dire ignorance of traditional Jewheart. good to know that the university also has a second athletic field for ish law, but surely her years of practice football, baseball, field hockey and soccer. Brandeis teams should do well in competition this year, and add further lustre to the reputation of the Jewish people.



Yet despite the serious shortage of engineers and technologists in Israel, the Technion will this year turn away some 400 of the 700-odd students applying for admission to the freshman class—for lack of room. There is simply no space—classroom or laboratory-for more students.

THOSE WHO WILL be the electrical engineers of tomorrow. responsible for the power lines and plants of Israel, are herded into confined, dark, basement rooms of a building erected 34 years ago when the needs of Palestine were considerably less than they are today. Those who will specialize in electronics and telecommunications have more ample quarters in a shed some six miles from the campus proper—but there are bus lines, of course.

The hydraulics laboratory, which deals with sanitary engineering, irrigation, dams, etc. has physically burst through its walls, and part of its experiments are being conducted out in the courtyard. That is fine at this time of year when there are no rains; what will happen when winter comes? The professor just shrugs his shoulders.

The architecture students are much better off, but that is only because they are cheating on the aeronautics department, and occupying some of the rooms in the latter's building.

WHEN PROF. WALTER LOWDERMILK comes here in a few months to take up his post as head of the department of agricultural engineering, the Technion will see to it that he has an office. As for lecture halls, equipment, laboratories and other needed facilities-well, something may turn up by then.

The picture is not all black. There are people, in Israel and abroad, who understand the significant role which this institution plays in the economic development of Israel. Help is being provided, though still not on the scale that is necessary. Tuition fees were this year raised. How many bright students may be compelled to discontinue their studies because loan funds are not available in sufficient quantity?

The engineering students of the Technion are only human, and they too need recreation. They too have teams of football, soccer, basketball, volleyball, swimming, track and field, etc. They don't have to impress the non-Jews, and they don't have to win every game for to impress the non-Jews, and they don't have to win every game for the sake of the school's reputation, though their record is surprisingly good. I say surprisingly because they have no athletic field at all, no equipment except what they can borrow, no full time coach. They'll get along.

Still, it is good to hear that Brandeis university now has two sthetic fields and old these recovery feelilities fields.

athletic fields-and all those necessary facilities.

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Urge 'Heart' On Case Of Cincinnati Convert

Editor, Jewish Post:

stressing how legally correct the Orthodox conversion at the present time? Or was she merely told, in effect, "Sorry, no admittance?"

According to Jewish law, if a non- Jew shows a serious intent ily dissuaded, he or she is to be

well as her attempt to enroll her I read with great interest your children in the Day School for a article and editorial on Rabbi maximal Jewish education, indi-Silver, as well as the letters cate a steadfast and serious desire to be a Jewess. Yet the impresrabbi was. What I crave with all sion I got was that the primary thought here was to exclude her woman at all invited to undergo, from some precious in-group, perhaps to strike at the out-group, the Reform wing.

Nowhere do I remember reading that in simple humanity this woman's legal predicament or lack of qualifications was explainto convert, and will not be readi- ed to her, and that she was invited to undergo, with her children, converted. (The precedent was an Orthodox conversion. One set by Ruth.) Now, this woman sometimes wishes that the keen legalistic mind of Orthodoxy could be exchanged for a human

Rabbi CHARLES WENGROV

Post's News Sense Questioned by Rabbi

That you deem the reverse process, Conservative Jews turning Reform, more routine and less notable one could gather from the tive rabbi who left the Rabbinical school year.

Assembly, apparently to join the

New York.

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Zionist Whacks Council for Judaism

•Editor, Jewish Post

I was happy to note that except for Carl Alpert's vainly wishful thinking, (JP, Sept. 17, '54) one issue of the "Post" was without mention of the A.C.J. I was willing to let it go at that but personal experiences with people tarnished by A.C.J. propaganda, lead me to ask your further indulgence and permit me to state the following point of view.

I am a Zionist because I am a Jew. Because I believe that Zionism is the spiritual manifestation of he visions and prophecies of the bible, and of the Word of G-d. If it be dual loyalty to place my G-d before my president; if it be dual loyalty to revere the Bible above the Declaration of Independence, then boastfully and with justifiable pride, I plead guilty!

Zionism in its practical form, in humanities, has provided a true haven for those who fled from for Judaism.

NOEL MARKRIDGE Baltimore, Md.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AVIV—Almost 1,000 per2,500 requests for exit visas to sons completed technical courses Israel pending since May, Czechsmall amount of space allocated of study at the 18 ORT vocational oslovakia has granted only 22 for to the item about the Conserva- centers in Israel during the last elderly Jews with relations in Is-

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bag. Not so with Col. Henry Crown, wealthy Chicago Jewish industrial i s t. Col. Crown recently became sole owner of the world's tallest building in a \$49.5 million transac t i o n. First sole own-



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er was John J. Raskob, who died in 1950. The estate then sold the building to a group of which stockholder. Crown later decided pulse, lucky grandma. he prefered to go it alone.

He Could've Beefed

covering kosher meat was una- 6,000 Jews from Nazi persecution in the city for the bout. Because en as one of three religious lead of the heat and the lack of good ers by the American President food he became so weak he had to Lines as its guest on a holiday be taken to the doctor. Whatever cruise which will visit Honolulu

lyn Bridge only to wake up with hen takes his tefillin with him on the discovery he was holding the journeys and always attends synagogue services. *

* Impulsive Kid

Sometimes it seems to pay to do things on impulse. Take the case of Melvin Rubin, 16, of Newark, N.J. Melvin was due at his grandmother's house at a certain time but suddenly felt an impulse to get there a little earlier than expected. Good thing he did too. There was grandma lying on the kitchen floor, gas escaping from open jets. He breathed into her mouth while neighbors sent Crown was the largest individual for the ambulance. Lucky im-

> * * Names in Review

Cantor Fishel Lutman has been appointed as cantor of Mi-His strict adherence to Orthodoxy almost cost Robert Co- ami's Beth El congregation . . hen, new world bantamweight Danish educator, author and boxing champion, the punching philosopher Dr. Aage Bertelsen power and boxing skill with which was honored at a recent reception he defeated Thai Chamrern Song- given by the World Jewish Conkitrat for the title recently in gress and the American Jewish Bangkok (JP, Sept. 24, '54). Dis- Congress for his role in rescuing vailable in Bangkok, Cohen re-during World War II . . . Rabbi fused to eat meat, during his stay Leonard J. Mervis has been chos-

Ohio Orthodox Rabbinate to Urge State Drive On 'Kosher Style'

CINCINNATI (JP)-A move by orthodox rabbis to have the state prosecute manufacturers who use the "kosher style" slogan in advertising their meats was revealed yesterday by Rabbi Eliezer Silver, chief Orthodox rabbi of Cincinnati.

Rabbi Silver stated that the Ohio attorney general believes that the orthodox group has a case against the "kosher style" meat the meat manufacturers under manufacturers. The orthodox present laws. leader further disclosed that a committee of rabbis from such cities as Cincinnati, Columbus, dicial proceedings, then individual and Toledo are planning a meeting with Ohio Governor Frank Lausche to discuss the possibility of having the state act against

Toynbee Raps Zionists For 'Expelling' Arabs

NEW YORK-Famed historian Arnold J. Toynbee apparently has sprung headlong into the controversy over who is responsible for the plight of the Palestinian Arabs now housed in refugee camps in the Arab states bordering Israel.

According to New York Times bookreviewer D. W. Brogan. Toynbee has attacked Zionism as a manifestation of the nationstate concept which he holds manufacturers want to use the espoused would call for the brings political madness and political crime, in the concluding volumes of his "A Study of History," style'." be all right, but not 'kosher villages by farmers from various countries of origin. Technical. injust published.

Toynbee asserts that the Zionists "expelled" the Palestinian Arabs and thus repeated the crime of the Germans, who had tried to exterminate them.

"Moreover in creating Israel come to their business. the Jews of the Diaspora were are tired of being."

INDIVIDUALS MAY SUE

If the governor refuses to have the attorney general begin jucases of Jews, who have eaten the "kosher style" meat, and allegedly suffered damages will be initiated in the state courts, Rabbi Silver said.

Asserting "that of the 23 states having laws concerning kosher food, and regulating such advertisement, Ohio, in my opinion, has the strongest statute," Rabbi Silver emphasized that the existing law will "more than serve our purposes of protecting the Jewish public."

'MEANT TO FOOL'

"I believe that this 'kosher style' business is meant to fool the public," Rabbi Silver said. "Kosher style means only, religious style, and there can be but one religious kosher law. If these

sentatives, indicated that they population a large measure of would fight the issue through the economic self-reliance to defend courts. Yet, they seemed to feel, themselves in emergencies, using lost, no immediate harm would trial potential.

One sausage maker stated, "If setting out to reduce to a paro- we lose, we will simply change chial nationality a people whose our 'kosher style' labels to 'all historical character since the sec- beef' labels. A loss in the courts ond century of this era had been will not hurt our business. We created by the fact of being mem- are increasing our sales, and bers of a diaspora," holds Toyn- while we respect Rabbi Silver, we bee, according to Brogan. "Zion- don't believe that we are trying ists may retort that being mem- to fool the public. None of our bers of a Diaspora is what they meat is sold to kosher stores. We are tired of being."

United States solicitor-general, will receive Yeshiva university's annual Charter Day award at a dinner Nov. 7 in New York . . Rutgers university will confer honors on four New Jersey Jewish leaders at its "Special Convocation in Recognition of the 300th Anniversary of the Introduction of Jewish Culture Into North America. To be cited are Dr. Milton R. Konvitz, Michael A. Stavitsky, Aaron Lasser and Henry

With the Rabbis

An unusual feature of Rabbi ion Oct. 29 as spiritual leader of Congregation Sherith Israel, Dallas will be that he will be in stalled by his father, Rabbi Morris E. Silverman, of Emanuel synagogue, Hartford, Conn . . . Rabbi and Mrs. Manning H. Bleich of Lewistown, Pa., have announce ed the bar mitzvah of their son Aaron Isaac, Oct. 30 . . . Rabbi Norwich, Conn., have announced the birth of twins, a son and laughter, May 28 . . . Rabbi and Mrs. Max Zucker, of Dalton, Ga. also have a newcomer in the house, a daughter born Sept. 30, their second child.

Ben-Gurion Outlines New Settlement Plan

JERUSALEM - Former Prime Minister David Ben-Gurion has outlined a regional settlement plan designed to make Israel safe

against possible Arab attacks and to speed the assimilation newcomers.

Ben - Gurion, speaking at the annual conference of the Ihud Kvutzot Vehakibbutzim, the settlement move-

BEN-GURION ment affiliated with the Mapai party, also blasted the kibbutz movement as having proved inadequate in the absorption of newcomers. He condemned the kibbutzim for indulging in political splits, thus weakening the movement.

Israel's greatest danger, according to Ben-Gurion, was the fact that half the country's area was empty space. He said a vacuum was a fifth column and a most dangerous threat to the country's

The regional settlement plan he symbol, 'Jewish style' that would establishment of various types of Manufacturers of "kosher dustrial, cultural and scientific fastyle" meats, through their repre- cilities in each region will give its if the battle in the courts were their own manpower and indus-

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Anne Frank's House To Be Demolished

AMSTERDAM-The house where Anne Frank wrote her now famous diary, "Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl," is one of the buildings to be demolished to make room for a large factory to be built in the center of Amsterdam. Many American readers of the book have protested to Dutch authorities against the plan to pull down the house.

Warsaw Radio Attacks JTA

LONDON (WNS)—The Warsaw radio, in a Yiddish-language. broadcast, last week lashed out against the Jewish Telegraphic Agency, accusing the JTA of having reached an agreement with the United States State Department to "spread lies and biased information about Jews in the Peoples Democracies in return for American dollars." The JTA, largest Jewish news agency in the world, has frequently come under communist attack for its reports on Jewish life behind the Iron Curtain.

Hungary Lifts Ban On Emigration

LONDON—Hungary apparently has lifted restrictions on the emigration of Jews. Authorities are reported by the Jewish Chronicle of London to have agreed to allow 3,000 Jews-sick persons and people over 65 with relatives in the Western countries-to leave the country before the end of the year. Between 60 and 70 persons in these categories left Budapest for the West between Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur.

Berlin Gets Jewish Cemetery

BERLIN-The West Berlin Jewish community, which hitherto had no cemetery of its own, has, with the help of the American Joint Distribution Committee, acquired a burial site, according to the Jewish Chronicle of London. A fence is to be erected around the site and about 30 persons provisionally buried in the municipal remetery are to be reburied in the Jewish burial ground.

Syria Claims Vishinsky's Support

TEL AVIV (WNS)-Syria's proposal in the United Nations General Assembly that a commission consisting of representatives of the Big Five attempt to deal with the Palestine problem has the support of Andrei Vishinsky, head of the Soviet delegation to the United Nations, it was claimed by Syria in a Hebrew-language broadcast from Damascus. The broadcast said the Moscow diplomat told the Syrian delegation that Soviet Russia was pleased with the proposal and that he was prepared to "consider this question" if the Syrians wanted "a positive reaction."

Israel, Jordan Nearing Jerusalem Agreement

TEL AVIV (JP)-Israel and Jordan remain on the verge of signing an agreement designed to prevent or suppress possible fu-ture hostilities in the Jerusalem

The only bar apparently remaining in the path of the agreement is the question of whether Maj. Gen. E.L.M. Burns, United Nations Truce supervisor should sign as a witness. Israel doesn't want his signature but Jordan would prefer it.

The principal feature of the agreement is the provision calling for the senior Israeli and Jordanian officers in Jerusalem to have direct telephone communication and to meet each other on request to discuss and settle questions concerning peace in Jerusalem.

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